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This is in response to the Notification of Missing Requirements dated October 2, 2001, for which a two-month period for response was set, making an answer due on or before December 2, 2001. Applicants submitted the Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney, and the required surcharge fee, via Express Mail (Express Mail Label No. EL754021507US) on September 12, 2001. A copy of that submission is attached to this Response. Applicants believe that there are no further requirements pending, and that this application is now complete.

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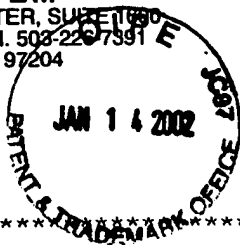
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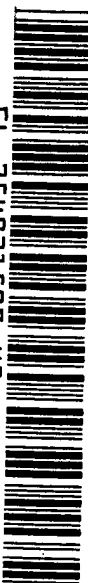
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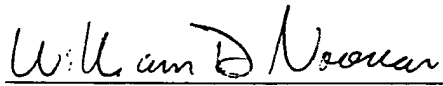
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